

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re the Application of

Martin JENSEN et al

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Examiner Sandals

For: A METHOD FOR IDENTIFICATION OF BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE PEPTIDES
AND NUCLEIC ACIDS

DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.132

Asst. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We, Anders Henrik Lund, Mogens Duch, and Finn Skou Pedersen, do hereby declare as follows:

We are co-inventors of the subject matter disclosed and claimed in the above-identified application.

We are co-authors of the publication Lund, A.H. et al, "Increased cloning efficiency by temperature-cycle ligation", Nucleic Acids Research, 1996, Vol. 24, No. 4, pp. 800-801.

We jointly invented the subject matter disclosed in the Lund et al publication, and we jointly invented, along with Martin Roland Jensen, Søren Mouritsen, Peter Hindeross, Michael Schandorf Sørensen, and Iben Dalum, the subject matter disclosed and claimed in claim 7 of the above-identified application.

The undersigned co-inventors declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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